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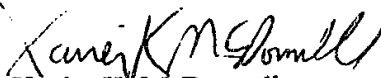
RE: MUR 4721

Dear Mr. Ferrone:

This is in response to your letter dated March 24, 1999, requesting an extension of time to respond to the Commission's discovery requests. After considering the circumstances, the Office of the General Counsel has granted an extension of until Wednesday, April 21, 1999 to submit your responses.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,


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